Heisenberg spin chain with Sparse Array

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max = 18;
S[i_] = PauliMatrix[i] / 2;
CircleTimes = KroneckerProduct;
SS = \sum_{i=1}^{3} S[i] \otimes S[i];
I[n_] := IdentityMatrix[2<sup>n</sup>, SparseArray];
ClearAll[h];
h[L_{-}] := h[L] = \frac{1}{L} \sum_{n=0}^{L-2} \mathbb{I}[n] \otimes SS \otimes \mathbb{I}[L-n-2];
(Hs = Monitor[Table[h[L], \{L, 2, max, 2\}] // N,
       {L, max, ProgressIndicator[L, {2, max}]}];) // AbsoluteTiming
{0.3047, Null}
(tb = Monitor [Table [{2 n, Eigenvalues [Hs [n], 1] [1]}, {n, 1, max / 2}],
       {2 n, max, ProgressIndicator[2 n, {2, max}]}];) // AbsoluteTiming
{8.01961, Null}
prediction = Fit[\#, x^{-Range[0,Length[\#]-1]}, x] &@tb /. x \to \infty
analytical = -Log[2] + 1/4//N
-0.443146
-0.443147
prediction - analytical
        analytical
-3.13279 \times 10^{-6}
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Parallelization

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$ProcessorCount
4

DistributeDefinitions[Hs];

(Parallelize@Table[{2 n, Eigenvalues[Hs[n], 1][1]}, {n, 1, max / 2}]) // AbsoluteTiming

{7.41777, {{2, -0.375}, {4, -0.404006}, {6, -0.415596}, {8, -0.421867}, {10, -0.425804}, {12, -0.428508}, {14, -0.43048}, {16, -0.431984}, {18, -0.433167}}}
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